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From: Ruhl, Christopher
Sent: Thur 9/10/2015 1:15:18 PM
Subject: Re: LiDAR request

Jim/Kim-

EPA has agreed to fund your request for LiDAR. The costs are reimbursable under the Gold King Mine Blowout cooperative agreement discussed last week. If you have any questions regarding the cooperative agreement you may contact Cinna Vallejos at [303-312-6376](tel:303-312-6376). Please coordinate the LiDAR project directly with Steve Way.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 8, 2015, at 8:02 PM, Jim Donovan <oem@sanjuancountycolorado.us> wrote:

Hello Chris
thanks for your quick reply and understanding that the request information clarified after Kim Buck talked with the state people today regarding the flight details and costs.
Jim

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On Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 7:56 PM, Ruhl, Christopher <Ruhl.Christopher@epa.gov> wrote:

Good evening Jim,

It was good to visit with you this evening. I am unable to make any commitments at this time but I will share your request with our team.

Chris Ruhl

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From: Jim Donovan [mailto:oem@sanjuancountycolorado.us]
Sent: Tuesday, September 08, 2015 7:29 PM
To: Ruhl, Christopher; Kim Buck, San Juan County Assessor
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Hello Chris

after further discussion with the Colorado Office of Information Technology, getting a sliver of Cement Creek will add difficulty to the mission planning and the costs. This flight had been budgeted and scheduled prior to the incident about a year ago.

This Lidar data would be very beneficial to current response efforts and hazard mitigation planning.

Let me know if you have any questions

thanks

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From: **Kim Buck, San Juan County Assessor** <assessor@sanjuancountycolorado.us>
Date: Tue, Sep 8, 2015 at 7:19 PM
Subject: LiDAR request
To: sjco.oem@gmail.com

Chris,

There is an opportunity for San Juan County to participate in a NASA LiDAR acquisition flight for the northern portion of the County, including the area containing all of the leaking mine adits of interest.

The flight will take place as early as tomorrow (Sept 9th) through Oct 1st. The cost to the County will be \$25,000 (much less than the hundred thousand plus actual cost). However, the County does not have a budget to cover this relatively small cost.

Since we believe the EPA would greatly benefit from the resulting data, we have attached a request for cost sharing.

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